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)	Examiner: Steven Ho Yin Loke
Application No.: 10/721,605)	
)	Group Art Unit: 2569
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
(SPECIES ELECTION)**

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office action mailed July 13, 2006 (Species Election), Applicants elect:

Species (1), identified as "figs. 4A-4G".

Claims 1 - 3, 6 - 8, 12 - 25, 27 - 29, 33 - 49, 51 - 53 and 57 - 70 are believed to read on the elected species.

This election is made **with traverse**.

A **Listing of Claims** is included for the Examiner's convenience, beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.